

Board of Appeal

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**Reply to "Office Communication" and Request to Allow Claims 1-7**

Dear Mr. To,

I, George Guang Yang, Ph.D., independent inventor and appellant, filed my patent application, INTEGRATED DATABASE DATA EDITING SYSTEM, in your office on October 2, 2000 (#09/677,493). I received your "Office Communication" mailed to me on April 15, 2010 which wrongfully canceled my independent Claim 1. Claim 1 is the most important and valuable claim in my invention and the other six claims depend on it. Claim 1 is patentable under 35 U.S.C. § 101 and cannot be rejected under U.S.C. § 103(a). I request your office to allow it.

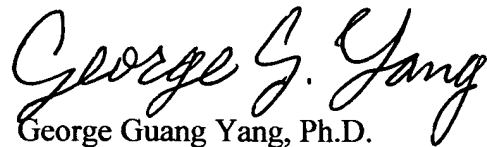
We had a telephone conversation on April 23, 2010. I insisted that Claims 1-7 should be allowed without amendment. You promised me that I can keep all the contents of Claims 1-7 but need to rearrange the contents into five claims instead seven claims, which is to cancel Claim 1 and Claim 3 and to amend and move the contents of Claim 1 & 3 into Claims 2, 4-7. I believe that the current Claims 1-7 structure and dependence relationship are the best to show the value of this invention.

I mailed the "Request for Reopen Prosecution before Examiner on the Decision of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences" under 37 CFR § 41.77(b)(1) to your

office on February 7, 2010 and on September 27, 2009, which state enough factual merits and legal bases to oppose the Board's decision to sustain your rejection of Claims 1 and 3. I request your office to allow Claims 1 and 3 without amendment.

My patent application is very significant in both technology and economy fields. It has taken ten years now since I filed my application in your office on October 2, 2000, which has wasted half of my productive years in my life and caused great pain to my spirit and my personal life. My career has been ruined due to the delay of allowance of my patent application and I have taken the public aid for six years now. As the fact shows, we have suffered great economic crises and the US has lost 8.4 million private jobs since I started my appeal to the Board. I request your office to allow my Claims 1-7 as soon as possible. Once my patent is approved, I will find the venture capital funds to implement it as commercial software products, which will play a very significant role to make progress for our "Hi-Tech" industry and to prosper our economy.

Sincerely,

  
George Guang Yang, Ph.D.

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